1965, Ch. 493—Code County Home Rule

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE ANNAPOLIS, MARYLAND

I, LLOYD L. SIMPKINS, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND, pursuant to the direction contained in Section 172(c) of Article 33 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, (1957 Edition), Do HEREBY CERTIFY, that at the General Election held in the State of Maryland on November 8, 1966, an Act known as Chapter 493 of the Acts of 1965, was submitted to the voters of the State of Maryland, pursuant to the provisions of Article 14 of the Constitution of the State of Maryland, said Act being as follows:

AN ACT to propose an amendment to the Constitution of Maryland by the addition of a new Article 11F thereto, title "Home Rule for Code Counties," to follow immediately after Article 11E, providing an optional system of home rule powers for certain counties in this State; establishing the procedure for becoming a code county; defining the powers of these counties and of the General Assembly for enacting, amending, or repealing certain public local laws; relating generally to powers of home rule for the counties here defined as "code counties"; and submitting this amendment to the qualified voters of the State for adoption or rejection.

AND I DO CERTIFY that at said election 274,353 votes were cast in favor of the adoption of Chapter 493 of the Acts of 1965, and 170,472 votes were cast against adoption of said Chapter 493 of the Acts of 1965, the said Act has therefore been ratified by a majority of the qualified voters of the State of Maryland.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my official seal at the City of Annapolis this 9th day of December, 1966.

(SEAL)

(s) LLOYD L. SIMPKINS,

Secretary of State.